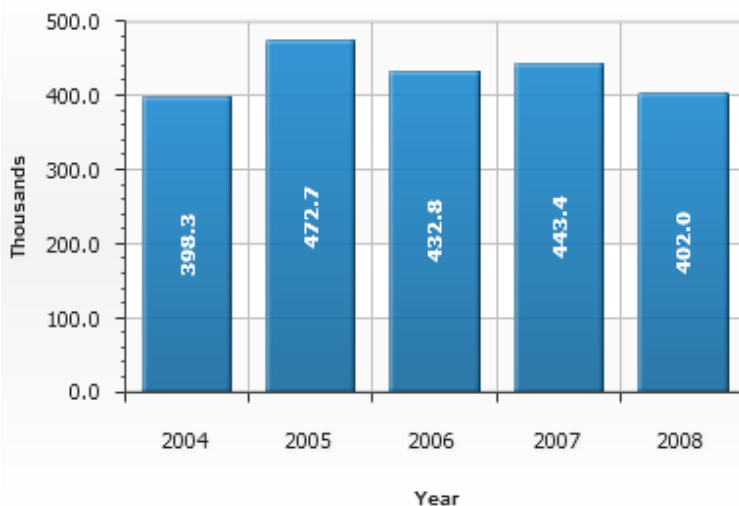


Statistics for this area were collected within the Columbus Metropolitan Statistical Area (MSA). Columbus, OH is the only major city included in this MSA.

Number of Volunteers



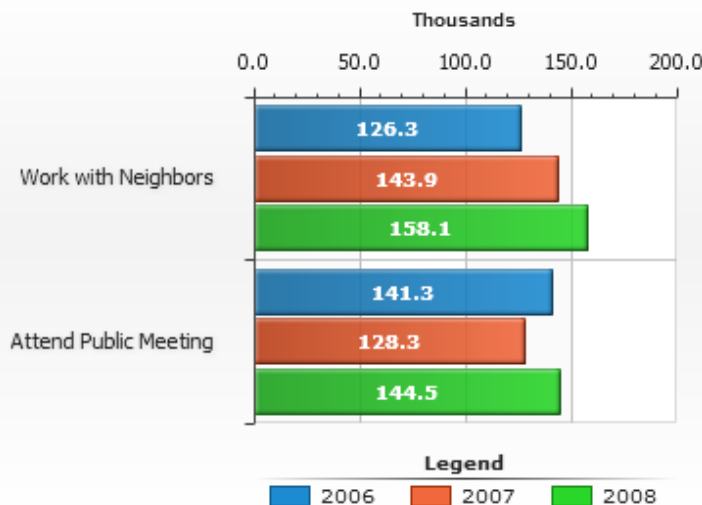
Trends and Highlights

Based on single year data (2008)

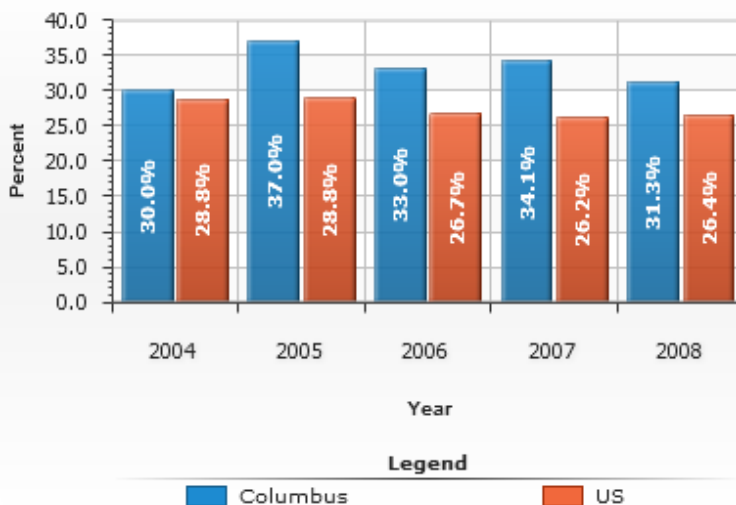
- Even with the economic crisis, the national volunteer rate remained relatively constant, from 26.2% in 2007 to 26.4% in 2008. In 2008, 61.8 million volunteers donated approximately 8 billion hours of service in communities across the country.
- 31.3% of adults volunteered in Columbus in 2008, contributing 65.3 million hours of service.
- In addition to the 402 thousand adults in Columbus volunteering in 2008, an extra 51,682 individuals worked with their neighbors to fix a problem or improve a condition in their community but did not serve through an organization.

For more information, go to <http://www.VolunteeringInAmerica.gov>

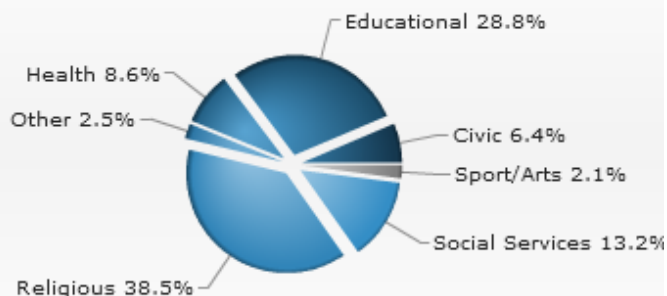
Neighborhood Engagement - Numbers



Volunteer Rate



Where People Volunteer (2006-2008)



Top Four Activities

